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SUBJECT: ECOSOC - SCALI STATEMENT ON SAHELIAN ZONE DROUGHT

1. FOLLOWING INFORMATION, KEYED TO PARAGRAPHS REFTTEL,  
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PROVIDED FOR PREPARATION SCALI STATEMENT. DATA ON U. S.  
ASSISTANCE MAY BE QUOTED IN STATEMENT, EXCEPT WHERE LABELED  
FYI. DATA ON ASSISTANCE OTHER DONORS, BASED ON OUR BEST  
INFORMATION, SHOULD BE USED WITH DISCRETION.

2. PARA 1, SUBPARA ( A): TOTAL AMOUNT, 156,000 MT; TOTAL

VALUE, \$22,000,000, INCLUDING TRANSPORT COSTS. AS OF  
JUNE 30, 107, 835 MT HAD BEEN DELIVERED OR WAS EN ROUTE,  
46,005 MT HAD BEEN BOOKED FOR JULY LOADING, AND REMAINING  
2,160 MT WILL BE BOOKED SOON.

3. SUBPARA ( B): OTHER DONORS HAVE TOTAL KNOWN COMMITMENTS  
OF 314,000 MT OF VARIOUS COMMODITIES, BROKEN DOWN AS  
FOLLOWS:

PRC	50,000 MT;
FRANCE	38,000 MT;
CANADA	26,000 MT;
F. R. GERMANY	29,500 MT;
USSR	10,000 MT;
WFP	8,000 MT;
EEC	102,000 MT;
IRAQ	3,000 MT;
MOROCCO	2,200 MT;
NETHERLANDS	1,000 MT;
NIGERIA	6,000 MT;
PAKISTAN	10,000 MT;
SPAIN	3,500 MT;

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SUDAN	10,000 MT;
ARGENTINA	10,600 MT;
OTHERS	4,200 MT.

WFP INFORMATION INDICATES APPROXIMATELY 97,000 MT OF ABOVE  
SHOULD HAVE ARRIVED PRIOR TO JUNE 30 AND AN ADDITIONAL  
98,1000 MT TO HAVE BEEN EN ROUTE BY JUNE 30.

4. SUBPARA ( C): NON- FOOD AID COMMITTED, \$4,712,000. THIS  
SUM INCLUDES \$2,000,000 FOR AIRLIFT AND OTHER DONATIONS  
SUCH AS HUMAN VACCINES, LIVESTOCK VACCINES, SUPPLEMENTARY  
FEEDING FOR LIVESTOCK, A SURVEY UTILIZING ERTS IMAGERY TO  
ATTEMPT PREDICT EXTENT FORTHCOMING HARVEST, AND A

NUTRITIONAL SURVEILLANCE SURVEY.

5. SUBPARA ( D): OTHER DONOR NON- FOOD AID. TOTAL PLEDGES, AS OF JUNE 25, AMOUNT TO \$7,400,000. OF THIS AMOUNT \$1,336,50 L IS CREDITED TO FAO/ SAHELIAN ZONE TRUST FUND AND REMAINING FUNDS WILL BE CHANNELLED THROUGH VARIOUS UN AGENCIES. GOVERNMENT PLEDGES AMOUNTING TO \$4,383,584.

AUSTRALIA \$ 25,000;

DENMARK 161,290;

F. R. GERMANY 1,060,000;

JAPAN 1,000,000;

NETHERLANDS 237,719;

SWEDEN 1,098,000;

U. K. 751,575;

YUGOSLAVIA 50,000

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REMAINING PLEDGES ARE FROM NON- GOVERNMENT SOURCES.

6. SUBPARA ( E): THREE USAF C-130 S HAVE BEEN PROVIDED TO DATE TO AIRLIFT GRAIN IN THE SAHELIAN REGION. TWO WERE INITIALLY PROVIDED TO MALI WITH THE SPECIFIC MISSION OF AIRLIFTING 2,000-3,000 MT OF GRAIN INTO THE FIFTH AND SIXTH REGIONS OF THE COUNTRY ( GAO, GOUNDAM, TIMBUKTU), AND A THIRD WAS SENT TO CHAD TO AIRLIFT ABOUT 600 MT OF GRAIN. THE CHAD AIRLIFT, WHICH LASTED FROM THE END OF MAY

TO APPROX. JUNE 24 TRANSPORTED OVER 700 MT OF GRAIN, AT WHICH POINT IT WAS TERMINATED AND THE PLANE TRANSFERRED TO MALI. THE MALI AIRLIFT, WHICH BEGAN ABOUT MAY 20 TH, WITH TWO PLANES, PICKED UP A THIRD PLANE IN LATE JUNE, AND THE THREE PLANES ARE NOW LIFTING GRAIN TO THE REGIONS STATED ABOVE, HAVING MOVED APPROX. 1,750 MT THROUGH JULY 2.

7. SUBPARA ( F): WE HAVE HEARD THAT FRANCE PROMISED TWO PLANES TO EACH COUNTRY FOR TWO WEEKS EACH. WHILE THERE HAS NEVER BEEN CONFIRMATION THEY' VE SENT PLANES TO EACH COUNTRY, WE DO KNOW THEIR PLANES HAVE FLOWN IN MALI, NIGER, AND CHAD. THEY MAY HAVE FLOWN IN OTHER COUNTRIES. FRG MADE AVAILABLE UP TO NINE PLANES. THEY, LIKE THE FRENCH, HAVE MADE THEM AVAILABLE ON AN " AS NEEDED" BASIS, FOLLOW-

ING RUESTS FROM THE COUNTRIES INVOLVED. FRG PLANES HAVE  
FLOWN GRAIN FROM GHANA TO DORI, UPPER VOLTA, AND HAVE BEEN  
FLYING IN NIGER. WE DO NOT HAVE SPECIFIC INFORMATION ON  
QUANTITIES FLOWN, AND AREAS SUPPLIED. CANADA MADE  
AVAILABLE THREE C-130 S TO THE FAO AND THESE PLANES ARE  
CURRENTLY BELIEVED TO BE FLYING GRAIN INTO NIGER FROM  
COTONOU OR LAGOS, LENGTH OF TIME AVAILABLE UNKNOWN. UK IS  
COMPLETING A SURVEY WHICH WILL DETERMINE WHETHER THEY WILL  
PROVIDE PLANES FOR AN AIRLIFT. BELGIUM HAS PROVIDED  
FIVE OR SIX C-130 S ON TWO OCCASIONS, AND THE PLANES HAVE  
FLOWN COMMODITIES IN UPPER VOLTA, MALI, AND PERHAPS  
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